

Arsenal Will Expand Staff Of Inspectors

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Washington, Oct. 7 — (Copley Press leased wire)—The office of Rep. Noah M. Mason (R-Oglesby) today disclosed the Civil Service commission is accepting applications for ammunition loading inspectors at the Joliet, Ill., Arsenal, which the army recently ordered reactivated.

Applicants must file with the executive secretary, board of the U. S. civil service examiners for the Department of Army, at the Joliet Arsenal.

THREE classes of inspectors are wanted for jobs at Joliet and in the Seventh Civil Service region, which includes the states of Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin, with applicants being accepted at Joliet until the needs of the service have been filled.

Inspectors hired under a GS-4 rating will draw \$2,875 annually. GS-5s \$3,100 and GS-6s \$3,450 a year, with periodic salary raises of from \$80 in the lower category to \$125 in the upper promised. From 2 to 3 years' experience is necessary, with age limits between 18 and 62 years.

THE ARMY said the Joliet Arsenal's manpower needs will not be known until after the plant has been put in limited operation, but explained the force is not expected to be anywhere near that employed there during World War II.

Reactivation of the arsenal was ordered to replace ammunition stores used up in the Korean war and toward the country's new rearmament program.